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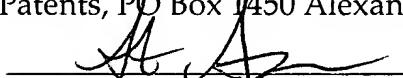
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Invention: ACTIVE COUPLER

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

Attached are comments on the reasons for allowance: